



Chapel Chat

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Dear Parents/Carers,

I cannot believe that after 156 times this will be final time writing to you in our weekly newsletter 'Chapel Chat'. My first edition feels like a life time ago and it is fair to say a lot has happened in the last four years. I am hugely proud of what the school has achieved but more importantly I am hugely proud of your children. They make this school the special place it is; a place where **learning** takes place, adults and children work hard, **successfully** and **care** deeply about one and other. I will take with me too many happy memories to mention.

I really do believe now that the whole school community is united and the children are getting a great education – which they richly deserve. The children are prepared for the future and have the ambition to achieve their dreams. The school is very different to the school I visited in October 2017 prior to my appointment and I must place on record my thanks to the staff team who have contributed so much; often going above and beyond to ensure the school has progressed and your children are looked after. As I said to the children today when I am asked about the last school I worked in or my first headship I won't just be saying 'a primary school near Skegness' I will be proud to tell everyone 'Chapel St Leonards Primary School'

You are in very safe hands. I know the school will continue to flourish under Mr Shaw's leadership and he will have the full support of the children, staff and parents.

For my final thoughts I would like to ask the children to keep working hard: never give up on your dreams, parents and carers keep supporting the school and your children and to the staff keep up the wonderful work you do each and every day.

It has been a privilege to be your Headteacher and I will miss each and every one of you.

With my very best wishes for the future

Graham Almond

Start of new school year

Monday 5th September 2022

8.45am

